Hallo dear MMMonVHF friends,

please find below our latest NEWSLETTER of the VHF-DX-Portal
"Make More Miles on VHF" (www.MMMonVHF.de), dated 2009-10-09
We attempt to distribute our Newsletter one or two times per week.
For further detail please be so kind and refer at our "News"-page:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php - welcome and enjoy...

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Latest NEWS/INFO for the NEWSLETTER
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GJTRACKER Version 2.0.4

Howdy! I am grateful for such prompt feedback on Version 2.0.3!
It seems everyone uses the program a little differently ;-)
There were some errors in how the program handled real time mode
calculations when a user's computer clock was not set to UTC.
The program now works correctly with any local time offset from UTC
(including fractional hours, where applicable). As always, the
correct current version is available in the complete distribution
package with associated files at bigskyspaces.com/w7gj/GJTRACKER.zip
If you are already a user of GJTRACKER and only need the updated
application file, it also is available at
http://www.bigskyspaces.com/w7gj/GJTRACKER.exe
Good luck and DX to all! See you off the moon! VY 73
SOURCE: Lance, W7GJ, direct to MMMonVHF and MoonNet

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ARAUCARIA VHF CONTEST (AVHFC):

On October 17 and 18; 2009 we will have the new edition of ARAUCARIA
VHF CONTEST (AVHFC). It s an international 50/144 MHz event with
similar rules of CQWW VHF, so almost any contest software could be
applied for make the log and send it in cabrillo format. We already
have confirmed stations from 20 squares and 10 PY States! Several US
stations made QSOs with South America during the latest
AVHFC. Here the results: www.avhfc.com/2009/outono/resultado.html
It will be also a good period for try Transequatorial Propagation
even on 2 meters. More informations, with rules in english at:
http://www.avhfc.com/regulamento.html and http://www.avhfc.com/
SOURCE: Flavio, PY2ZX direct to MMMonVHF

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The 144 MHz EME NewsLetter:

Since 2003 DF2ZC publishes the 144 MHz EME NewsLetter. This is
a free service for the EME community. Bernd, DF2ZC, informed us
that the latest edition of the EME-Newsletter is now available
at: http://www.df2zc.de/newsletter - EMENL200909 [362 KB] 73
SOURCE: tnx to Bernd, DF2ZC to MMMonVHF

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MMMonVHF VHF-DATABASE Issue 2.60 - 10/2009

A year is over again and we will be able to spread around a new

issue of the VHF-DATABASE (2.60 - 10/2009) to private USER as well
to all interested DX-Cluster Sysops (DX-Cluster-Types: CLX, SPIDER,
AK1A and / or DXNet). If you interested in more details please visit
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/minibb/index.php?action=vtopic&forum=3
and you be able to find more details (VHF260e.pdf), the history
(history.pdf) and more... Direct links to obtain the new VHF-DATBASE:

DX-Cluster Issue 2.60: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/dbaseexport.php?dxcdb
(to implement in CLX, AK1A/SPIDER and DXNet DX-Cluster Areas)

USER-Version 2.60:   http://www.mmmonvhf.de/dbaseexport.php?usrdb
(to implement in VQLog, UcxLog, Ham Office, OHTest, TUCNAK and other)

Wish you a lot of fun with these new VHF-DATABASE!
SOURCE: Guy, DL8EBW, on behalf of the MMMonVHF Team

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Latest DXPEDITION and EVENT NEWS - Please do use:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php
and use the FILTER for your personal wishes!
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*** JT / ON37 ***

Announcing the first ever EME DXpedition to Mongolia (ON37KW)
by Jeremy, W7EME, and Jim, K7YO - LATEST NEWS from Jeremy, W7EME,
dated 2009-10-05: Aloha to all: We (jim K7YO) and I are about to
depart the US for Mongolia via Beijing. Barring any problems,
quarantines and anything else, we should arrive in Ulaanbaatar at
about 0100z on the 10th. I anticipate having the 2m station operating
and qrv at moonrise, 14ooz on the 10th. JT1UN will be watching the
CW sub band for any stations large enough to hear. I will also be
on 144.143MHz JT65b, Always second. This has been a great year
yielding the opertunity to activate Zone 2 as w7eme/vo2 and now this
rarest of all Zone 23 and first ever eme from Mongolia as jt1un.
I am very excited about this outing and hope to work many of you.
My moon windows and qrv times from grid ON37kw are:

Rise-West	Set-East
10th 1400z	11th 0600z
11th 1530z	12th 0845z
12th 1700z	13th 0730z
13th 1815z	14th 0800z QRT

I will be qrv 2 days following contest on 144.143MHz. For
some more details: www.w7eme.org/ulaanbaatar GL es 73 to all
SOURCE: tnx Jeremy w7eme jt1un direct to MMMonVHF and MoonNet

*** OH / KP49 ***

Jussi, OH6ZZ, is planning pedition on 12-14th December to
northern Finland to KP49ag. Qrv 2m MS; sri no moon at that time,
so no EME. Operators OH6ZZ and OH9GDT. More details later here:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2927
SOURCE: Jussi, OH6ZZ, direct to MMMonVHF

*** UR / KO51 ***

Again a MS-Activity to rare Square KO51- The group of UT6UG/p,
UX5UL/p, UY5UG/p, will be QRV on 144 MHz until 09 october 2009
from KO51EB. RIG shall be 13B2 antenna and abt. 300 Watt.

LATEST NEWS from the Team, dated 2009-10-09: 06UT
Now CQ CQ 1st .351 fm KO51eb - work last hours in ko51!
Team could make about hundred qso from up 20:00 utc 07.10!
SOURCE: tnx to Oleg, UX5UL, direct to MMMonVHF

*** HS0 / OK16 ***

Against his plans, Karsten, DL2LAH, will be back in Thailand
in october and try to be qrv as HS0ZIL from OK16BQ. As well
Karsten will try to setup a MMMonVHF DXBlog:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/showblog.php?ca=HS0ZIL to spread his
latest News and logs. LATEST NEWS dated 2009-10-08: Driving
to Hamburg airport in 1 hour!See you from Thailand!!
All as well: http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2653
SOURCE: tnx to Karsten, DL2LAH / HS0ZIL, direct to MMMonVHF

*** W / DN67 ***

6 meter EME from DN67 (eastern MT) - EME frequency will be 50.192
Mhz. Equipment: 800 watts, 7 element Yagi w/elevation, K3/preamp.
Schedules are welcomed. Email: geneshea at gmail.com
LATEST NEWS from Gene, KB7Q, dated 2009-10-02: I have added
a web site for next week's 6m EME/MS Dxpedition to DN67/DN66:
http//:www.geneshea.com/DN67
SOURCE: tnx to Gene, KB7Q, direct to MMMonVHF

*** I / JN54 ***

1296MHZ und 144MHz activation JN54EA
On sunday 18th October or 25th October (if is bad weather) from
IK5CON Riccardo, IZ5MUU Mariano and IK5DND Giancarlo atctivation
mountain Matanna JN54EA 1315 mtsl in JN54EA on 1296MHz
(1296.200 Mhz) and 144Mhz (144.310)from 7 GMT to 13 GMT.
info e_mail to: info"at"ik5con.it mobile 3483806517
SOURCE: Riccardo, IK5CON via DL2SB direct to MMMonVHF

*** 8Q ***

Here is some preliminary information about the upcoming 8Q7QQ
6m EME DXpedition March 24-31, 2010. Pierre HB9QQ has been very
busy optimizing the 6m EME station he will be taking next spring
for his JT65A operation. He will be using a low noise external
preamp, 500w Falcon amplifier and a 7 element yagi overlooking
the ocean. Watch for details to be coming in the future, but plan
now to be available for this great chance to contact a rare one!
There are some great horizon-only windows for NA stations with
Pierre while he has ground gain on the horizon at the same time!
EME CNDX also are optimum during their period of operation
VY 73, Lance - SOURCE: Lance, W7GJ, direct to MMMonVHF an MoonNet

*** W / FM09 ***

KC3RE contest FM09 West Virginia
It is a small mobile CW station (144: 375W, 2X15 el K1FO;
432: 180W, 2X 28 el M2) but I will be trying to operate at
least the first day of the contest, Saturday 10 Oct. Operation
is strictly for fun, not competitive, and also to give out West
Virginia, FM09, for anybody needing it on 144 and 432. Expected

CQ frequencies, ï¿½ QRM, birdies (CW only,): 144.075 - 432.075
I hope to enjoy working as many stations as possible with this
small setup. 73 - SOURCE: Martin, KC3RE, via MoonNet

*** HB / JN47 ***

HB9Q QRV October 10/11 on 144, 432 and 1296
Dear friends.HB9Q will be QRV October 10/11 on 144, 432 and
1296 MHz. However we will NOT participate at the ARRL EME Contest
on this bands. Our target is to maximize the number of QSOs and to
work as many new and QRP stations as possible! We will be stand-by
on the loggers and chats where we will announce on a regular base
our CQ frequencies. For QRP stations and newcomers we also are
available for skeds (please send e-mail or look for us on the
logger/chat). Read all details as well a timetable at:
http://www.mmmonvhf.de/latest.php?id=2925
SOURCE: Dan, HB9CRQ/KT6Q head of HB9Q via MoonNet

*** JA / QM05 ***

JM1WBB (QM05) EME activity in this weekend
Hello Friends, I am going to my shack after having normal
sleeping. I will be active on 2m EME in this weekend during
having the moon, if I can do that. Because of we had a big
Typhoon yesterday and I don't know that the condition of my
antennas at this moment. I'll be calling CQ on JT65B mode but
CW request via the logger is welcome at especially slack in
East window. I hope to see old friends and new friends especially
QRP setup stations. Loggers: N0UK, DX Cluster - Equipments:
4 x 2MXP32, 2 x Mast mounted preamps, 30m low loss coax (12D-SFA)
2 x GU74b HPA and IC-910D - 73 SOURCE: Isao / JM1WBB via MoonNet

*** PA / JO32 ***

Big Dish PI9CAM activity
After more than three months of no EME because of a sensitive
radio astronomy instrument close to our dish, PI9CAM will be
active again! Field strenght measurements were carried out,
and the results were OK for us, so we got TX permission. We
will be "on the moon" during the October 10/11 moon pass. 25 m
Dwingeloo dish - JO32ET - See www.camras.nl - QRV on SSB, FM,
CW and JT Loggers: HB9Q and N0UK - Starting 1 hour after our
moonrise. Ending 1 hour before our moonset.
SOURCE: PI9CAM Team via MoonNet

*** CO ***

Celebrating the VII Conference of the Federacion de Radioaficiona
dos de Cuba, the Camaguey City Radio Club will operate as T47C
on 3-4 and 10-11 October. Eight operators will be active on
160-10 metres (plus 2 metres) CW, SSB, PSK31 and RTTY. QSL via
operator's instructions. SOURCE: [TNX CO7WT] via 425 DX News #961

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HF-V-U-SHF-Info-Sources and chats like ON4KST-, RU-VHF-DX-Net,
EA-V-U-SHF-Chat, N0UK-Chat and others...

* Many thanks to all USER who send us info and news *

Wherever we found the info we always indicate the source of the info.
If you get knowledge of an expedition, which is NOT listed at our
VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF or if you have additional info for an
expedition, PLEASE be so kind and send us this info at

* www.mmmonvhf.de/newsuser.php or www.mmmonvhf.de/kontact.php *

The MMMonVHF-Team is always trying to spread any expedition info as
much up-to-date and reliable as possible and as long as the info does
not violate with our MMMonVHF-Policy.

Have a lot of fun and enjoy the VHF-DX-Portal MMMonVHF!

73 de Guido "Guy" DL8EBW
on behalf of the MMMonVHF-Team
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IV3NDC OZ1LPR PA2DW PA3BIY & PA4EME

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